



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of:

Lin et al.

Application No.: 09/687,244

Confirmation No.: 1180

Filed: October 12, 2000

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
ESTABLISHING A PROFILE TABLE  
FOR HOST BUS ADAPTERS

☐ Duplicate for  
fee processing

Group Art Unit: 2126

Examiner: Truong, Lechi

Atty. Docket No: ADAPP169

Date: August 30, 2004

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Neels Jd Entwistle

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

- a. ☐ Previously submitted
- i. ☐ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☒ Amendment/Reply (9 pages)
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Miscellaneous**

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.
- b. ☒ Other: Transmittal and return receipt postcard

**3. Fees**

- a. ☒ Due:
- i. ☒ \$770.00 RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)
- ii. ☐ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ -month Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17)
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
- b. ☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the above-identified fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. \_\_\_\_\_).
- c. ☒ Check 12403 in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed (RCE fee).
- d. ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP169).

Date: August 30, 2004

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an RCE and an amendment in the above-identified application.  
The fee has been calculated as shown below.

Claims			Present Extra	SMALL ENTITY RATE FEE	OR	LARGE ENTITY RATE FEE
Remaining After Amendment	Highest Previously Paid For					
RCE FEE				\$385 = \$	OR	\$770 = \$770
TOTAL						
CLAIMS	19 -	20	0	X09 = \$	OR	X18 = \$0
INDEP						
CLAIMS	03 -	03	0	X43 = \$	OR	X86 = \$0
[ ] Multiple Dependent Claim Present and Fee Not Previously Paid				\$145		\$290
TOTAL				\$		\$770

- ☒ Applicant believes that no Extension of Time is required; however, if it is determined that such an extension is required, Applicant hereby petitions that such an extension be granted and authorize the Commissioner to charge the required fees for an Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 50-0805
- ☒ Enclosed is our check 12403 in the amount of \$770.00 in payment of the RCE and/or Extension of Time fees.
- ☒ If the required fees are missing or any additional fees are required to facilitate filing the enclosed response, please charge such fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. ADAPP169). A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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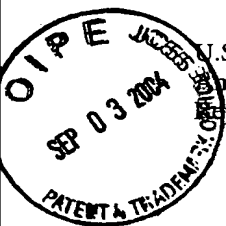
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Amendment dated August 30, 2004  
Reply to Advisory Action of July 21, 2004

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#### AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit this paper in response to the Advisory Action mailed July 21, 2004. A Notice of Appeal was filed, and the post card was received on June 29, 2004. The two months for response extend to August 29, 2004. A request for continued examination (RCE) is being filed along with this submission, which therefore withdraws the case from appeal. No extension of time is needed. However, the Applicants hereby petition for any extension

that may be needed, and the deposit account listed on page 9 of this paper may be used.

Applicants request reconsideration of the subject application in light of the following:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Applicants' Remarks/Arguments, which begin on page 7 of this paper.